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SENATE BILL 6414

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By Senators Bailey, Rinehart, Murray, Pelz and Skratek

Read first time . Referred to Committee on Education.

- 1 AN ACT Relating to validation requirements for school district
- 2 elections; and amending RCW 84.52.056.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF WASHINGTON:
- 4 **Sec. 1.** RCW 84.52.056 and 1973 1st ex.s. c 195 s 104 are each
- 5 amended to read as follows:
- 6 Any municipal corporation otherwise authorized by law to issue
- 7 general obligation bonds for capital purposes may, at an election duly
- 8 held after giving notice thereof as required by law, authorize the
- 9 issuance of general obligation bonds for capital purposes only, which
- 10 shall not include the replacement of equipment, and provide for the
- 11 payment of the principal and interest of such bonds by annual levies in
- 12 excess of the tax limitations contained in RCW 84.52.050 to 84.52.056,
- 13 inclusive and RCW 84.52.043. Such an election shall not be held
- 14 oftener than twice a calendar year, and the proposition to issue any

- 1 such bonds and to exceed said tax limitation must receive the
- 2 affirmative vote of a three-fifths majority of those voting on the
- 3 proposition and the total number of persons voting at such election
- 4 must constitute not less than forty percent of the voters in said
- 5 municipal corporation who voted at the last preceding state-wide
- 6 general ((state)) election: PROVIDED, That for school district general
- 7 obligation bonds, the total number of persons voting at such election
- 8 shall constitute not less than forty percent of the largest number of
- 9 voters casting votes on any single school district general election
- 10 issue or candidacy.
- 11 Any taxing district shall have the right by vote of its governing
- 12 body to refund any general obligation bonds of said district issued for
- 13 capital purposes only, and to provide for the interest thereon and
- 14 amortization thereof by annual levies in excess of the tax limitations
- 15 provided for in RCW 84.52.050 to 84.52.056, inclusive and RCW
- 16 84.52.043.